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In re Application of: )  
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Vantresa STICKLER et al. )  
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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR )  
MID-STREAM POSTAGE )  
ADJUSTMENT )

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